ATTORNEY DOCKET No. 8830-296 (200898)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ACTING AS THE DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE

In re: Patent application of

U.S. Application No.:

Gary Eugene McVeigh

International Application No.:

Not yet assigned : PCT/GB03/01729

Filed: Herewith : International Filing Date:

22 April 2003 (22.04.2003)

For: VASCULAR IMPEDANCE

MEASUREMENT APPARATUS : Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Mail Stop PCT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

ATTN: DO/EO/US

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, please make the following amendments, without prejudice, in the above-identified application prior to calculation of the filing fee.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10

EXPRESS MAIL Mailing Label Number: _EL 998811795 US

Date of Deposit: October 19, 2004

I hereby certify that this correspondence, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, and/or fee, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, "EXPRESS MAIL-POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10, on the date indicated above, and addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 223[13-1450.]

Signature of person mailing page:

Katie Keogh

Type or print name of person